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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 01/28/99, applicants hereby petition for an extension of time in which to respond (separate petition enclosed) and amend as follows.

Rewrite claims 1-2 as follows:

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1. (amended) A method of decoding video containing predicted frames, comprising the steps of:

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(a) for at least one predicted frame decoding a first macroblock at [either] a first resolution [or a second resolution depending upon assessment of said macroblock] and decoding a second macroblock at a second resolution greater than said first resolution.

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2. (amended) The method of claim 1, wherein:

(a) said macroblocks [has an] have associated motion vectors.